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Hon. John P. Cronan
United States District Judge
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Southern District of New York
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Re: **Hartmann v. Google LLC et al.**
1:20-cv-05778-JPC (S.D.N.Y.)

Dear Judge Cronan:

Pursuant to the Court's Civil Case Management Plan and Scheduling Order entered on December 23, 2022, Dkt. 58, the parties in the above-captioned action write jointly to advise the Court as to the status of the parties' settlement discussions and as to whether the parties request a referral to the assigned Magistrate Judge or to the Court-annexed mediation program.

For the past several weeks, the parties have been engaging in settlement discussions and expect to continue those efforts. At this time, the parties do not believe that they require court assistance with these efforts. However, the parties respectfully request that the Court set a deadline of October 9, 2023—*i.e.*, 45 days from today's filing date—for the parties to provide a joint status letter updating the Court on the status of their settlement efforts and addressing all of the topics set forth in paragraph 18 of the current Case Management Plan, Dkt. 58.

We thank the Court for its time and consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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